

## SHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE.

Section 2, Special Branch.  
REPORTSHANGHAI MUNICIPAL POLICE  
Police No. B. REG. 111.

No. D. 5542

Station

Date December 4, 1933

Subject (in full) V. M. Loseff, applicant for Bodyguard Licence.

Made by D.S.I. Prokofiev

Forwarded by O. J. Everett

With reference to the attached memo of the Personal Assistant (Crime Branch) dated November 27, 1933, on the subject of V.M. Loseff, applicant for a bodyguard licence, this individual's history and record as known to this office are as follows:-

Valentin Mihaillovitch Loseff, Russian, born 24-4-1910 at Chita, Province of Transbaikalia, Russia. He arrived in Shanghai from Harbin on September 1, 1929, and has been since residing in this city with his parents (Present address : No. 96 Avenue Dubail). On December 1, of the same year he joined the Russian Regiment, S.V.C., with which he served until June 1, 1930 when he resigned of his own accord. From September 15, 1930 till November 2, 1931 he attended private school for wireless operators established in the French Concession under the auspices of the "Caisse des Oeuvres d'Interet Public de la Concession Francaise de Changhai." During this period, as well as during 10 months period of unemployment after leaving the above school, he was supported by his family. On 31.8.1932 he secured position as a ticket inspector with the Omnibus Company and worked in this capacity until 7.5.33 when he was discharged "for making a false entry in checking sheet." Since that time he has been unemployed.

Loseff was registered with the Shanghai Municipal Police as a candidate for position as a watchman and/or bodyguard on September 5, 1933.

About a week ago he was engaged through the French Police as a bodyguard at the pay of \$50. per month by Mr. Kwauh Yu Chow (郭漢舟), House 1, Passage 64, Rue Paul Bean, to whom he had been introduced by his friend, I.V. Goretovsky. The latter was

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formerly employed with Mr. Kwauh in the same capacity for about one year and a half.

Loseff is registered with the Russian Emigrants Committee, No. 6-A Hongkong Road.

With the exception of the allegations made against him by the China General Omnibus Company nothing detrimental is known by this office against the applicant.

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*A. Prokofiev*

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Officer i/c Special Branch.

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